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IN RE APPLICATION OF: RANDY HARRIS ET AL.

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Amendment In Response to Restriction Requirement

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dated present communication responds to the Office Action November 17, 2004 in the above-identified application. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.